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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ENRG, VE

SUBJECT: TEMPORARY SHUT-IN OF OIL PRODUCTION

REF: CARACAS 01579

TEMPORARY SHUT-IN OF OIL PRODUCTION, REPORTED REFTEL, WHICH
REQUIRED BY MINISTRY IN EFFORT TO SOLVE DISPUTE BETWEEN VENEZUELAN
SUN AND MENE GRANDE OIL COMPANIES OVER UNIFICATION OF OIL FIELD,
STILL CONTINUES. MENE GRANDE CHIEF REPORTS TOTAL AMOUNT INVOLVED
IS ABOUT 60,000 B/D, OF WHICH 20,000 IS MENE GRANDE'S OIL AND
OTHER 40,000 HAD BEEN OPERATED BY SUN GROUP. MENE GRANDE CHIEF
REPORTS PROGRESS HAS BEEN MADE AND SEVERAL DISPUTED POINTS HAVE
BEEN AGREED UPON. HOWEVER, WHEN FINAL UNDERSTANDING REACHED
IT WILL REQUIRE APPROVAL BY MINISTRY. THUS, EARLY RESUMPTION OF
PRODUCTION OF THIS SHUT-IN OIL IS NOT EXPECTED.
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